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I. CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Please amend the claims as indicated in the following listing:

1. (Currently amended) A computer implemented method for reviewing vocabulary comprising:
using a computer and a graphical user interface on a display connected to the
computer, and responsive to a user selecting a Chinese-English textbook chapter from a
plurality of chapters, a question language from a plurality of question languages, and an
answer language from a plurality of answer languages, displaying a plurality of vocabulary
words from a selected chapter,
asking~~displaying~~ a question containing a vocabulary term~~word~~ in a~~the~~ question
language;
responsive to the user inputting an answer in the answer language,~~accepting an~~
~~answer in an answer language;~~ and
determining if the answer is a correct answer using Unicode;
wherein a determination if the answer is a correct answer is performed using a
Simplified Chinese/Traditional Chinese conversion table encoded in Unicode and a
traditional Chinese/ Pin Yin/English dictionary encoded in Unicode.
2. Canceled.
3. Canceled.
4. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:
displaying statistics regarding a~~the~~ user's performance in answering a plurality of
questions.
5. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

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calculating the probability factors for ~~a~~the plurality of vocabulary ~~term~~words; and
wherein the probability factor determines thea probability that a vocabulary ~~term~~word
will appear in a question.

6. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

calculating the probability factors for ~~a~~the plurality of vocabulary ~~term~~words; and
wherein the probability factor determines the frequency with which a vocabulary
~~term~~word will be asked in a question.

7. Canceled.

8. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

wherein responsive to a determination that the answer is correct, decrementing a
probability factor for the vocabulary ~~term~~word.

9. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

wherein responsive to a determination that the answer is incorrect, incrementing a
probability factor for the vocabulary ~~term~~word.

10. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

wherein responsive to a determination that all of the vocabulary ~~term~~words in a
chapter have a probability factor equal to one, indicating that the chapter is completed.

11. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

changing the font size of the Chinese characters displayed on a graphical user
interface.

12. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

wherein the question language is Traditional Chinese, Simplified Chinese, Pin Yin, or
English.

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13. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

wherein the answer language is Traditional Chinese, Simplified Chinese, Pin Yin, or English.

14. (Currently amended) A program product operable on a computer, the program product comprising:

a computer-usable medium;

wherein the computer usable medium comprises instructions comprising:

responsive to a user selecting a Chinese-English textbook chapter from a plurality of chapters, a question language from a plurality of question languages, and an answer language from a plurality of answer languages, instructions for displaying a plurality of vocabulary words from a selected chapter.

instructions for asking displaying a question containing a vocabulary term word in a question language;

responsive to a user inputting an answer in the answer language, instructions for accepting an answer in an answer language; and

instructions for determining if the answer is a correct answer using Unicode wherein a determination if the answer is a correct answer is performed using a Simplified Chinese/Traditional Chinese conversion table encoded in Unicode and a traditional Chinese/ Pin Yin/English dictionary encoded in Unicode.

15. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

instructions for selecting ~~a~~the chapter from a plurality of chapters;

instructions for selecting the question language from a plurality of question languages; and

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instructions for selecting the answer language from a plurality of answer languages.

16. Canceled

17. (Original) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

instructions for displaying statistics regarding a user's performance in answering a plurality of questions.

18. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

instructions for calculating the probability factors for ~~a~~the plurality of vocabulary ~~term~~words; and

wherein the probability factor determines the probability that a vocabulary ~~term~~word will appear in a question.

19. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

instructions for calculating the probability factors for a plurality of vocabulary ~~term~~words; and

wherein the probability factor determines the frequency with which a vocabulary ~~term~~word will be asked in a question.

20. Canceled.

21. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

wherein responsive to a determination that the answer is correct, instructions for decrementing a probability factor for the vocabulary ~~term~~word.

22. (Currently) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

wherein responsive to a determination that the answer is incorrect, instructions for incrementing a probability factor for the vocabulary ~~term~~word.

23. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

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wherein responsive to a determination that all of the vocabulary ~~term~~words in a chapter have a probability factor equal to one, instructions for indicating that the chapter is completed.

24. (Original) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

instructions for changing the font size of the Chinese characters displayed on a graphical user interface.

25. (Original) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

wherein the question language is Traditional Chinese, Simplified Chinese, Pin Yin, or English.

26. (Original) The program product of claim 14 further comprising:

wherein the answer language is Traditional Chinese, Simplified Chinese, Pin Yin, or English.

27. (Currently amended) A program product operable on a computer, the program product comprising:

a computer-usable medium;

wherein the computer usable medium comprises instructions comprising:

a Selection Program; containing instructions, wherein responsive to a user selecting a Chinese-English textbook chapter from a plurality of chapters, a question language from a plurality of question languages, and an answer language from a plurality of answer languages, displaying a plurality of vocabulary words from a selected chapter,

a Testing Program; containing instructions for displaying a question containing a vocabulary term in a question language and responsive to a user inputting an answer in the

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answer language, instructions for determining if the answer is a correct answer containing instructions for determining if the answer is a correct answer;

wherein a determination if the answer is a correct answer is performed using a Simplified Chinese/Traditional Chinese conversion table encoded in Unicode and a traditional Chinese/ Pin Yin/English dictionary encoded in Unicode.

28. Canceled.

29. Canceled.

30. (Original) The program product of claim 27 wherein the Selection Program further comprises:

instructions for displaying statistics regarding a user's performance in answering a plurality of questions.

31. Canceled.

32. (Original) The program product of claim 27 wherein the Testing Program further comprises:

instructions for displaying statistics regarding a user's performance in answering a plurality of questions.

33. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 27 wherein the Testing Program further comprises:

instructions for calculating the probability factors for a plurality of vocabulary ~~term~~words; and

wherein the probability factor determines the probability that a vocabulary ~~term~~word will appear in a question.

34. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 27 wherein the Testing Program further comprises:

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instructions for calculating the probability factors for a plurality of vocabulary

~~term~~words; and

wherein the probability factor determines the frequency with which a vocabulary

~~term~~word will be asked in a question.

35. Canceled.

36. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 27 wherein the Testing Program further comprises:

wherein responsive to a determination that the answer is correct, instructions for

decrementing a probability factor for the vocabulary ~~term~~word.

37. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 27 wherein the Testing Program further comprises:

wherein responsive to a determination that the answer is incorrect, instructions for

incrementing a probability factor for the vocabulary ~~term~~word.

38. (Currently amended) The program product of claim 27 wherein the Testing Program further comprises:

wherein responsive to a determination that all of the vocabulary ~~term~~words in a

chapter have a probability factor equal to one, instructions for indicating that the chapter is completed.

39. (Original) The program product of claim 27 wherein the Testing Program further comprises:

instructions for changing the font size of the Chinese characters displayed on a

graphical user interface.

40. (Original) The program product of claim 27 wherein the Testing Program further comprises:

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wherein the question language is Traditional Chinese, Simplified Chinese, Pin Yin, or English.

41. (Original) The program product of claim 27 wherein the Testing Program further comprises:

wherein the answer language is Traditional Chinese, Simplified Chinese, Pin Yin, or English.